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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
SCOTT LAWRENCE KARPIEL, CRAIG S. CAMBIER AND JAMES A. BLOEMEN)))) Group Art Unit: 2681
Serial No. 09/872,382)
Filed: June 1, 2001) Examiner:)
For: LOW VOLTAGE DC POWERED TELECOMMUNICATIONS CUSTOMER SERVICE TERMINAL HAVING OPTIONAL HOT- SWAPPABLE LOW VOLTAGE BATTERY MODULE))))))))))

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Asst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed August 10, 2001 (copy enclosed) for the above-identified application, enclosed herewith is the Declaration for Patent Application executed by Scott Lawrence Karpiel, Craig S. Cambier and James A. Bloemen.

Also enclosed is an Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Petition for One Month Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$175.00, which includes a \$80.00 surcharge for late Declaration fling as well as \$40.00 for the

Assignment recordation fee and \$55.00 extension of time fee. The application qualified for large entity status at the time of filing; however, now qualifies for small entity status. Please charge any underpayment, or credit any overpayment associated with this communication, to Deposit Account 082623. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Signed this $\frac{23}{3}$ day of October 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- o To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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